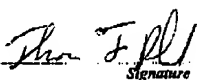
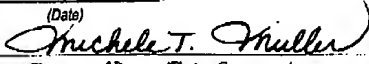
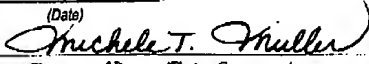
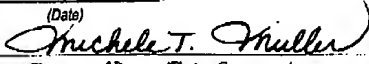


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In Re Application Of: COURT, et al																		
Application No. 09/884,108	Filing Date 06/20/2001	Examiner Jeffrey C. Mullis	Customer No. 31684	Group Art Unit 1711	Confirmation No.													
Invention: MIXTURES OF AN AROMATIC VINYL RESIN AND OF POLYPHENYLENE ETHER WITH IMPROVED IMPACT STRENGTH																		
<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>																		
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>July 1, 2004</u> above-identified application. <i>Date</i>																		
The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):																		
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The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows:																		
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-2717 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 01-2717 <input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.																		
WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.																		
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